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BETTER TEACHERS' PAY A DEMAND OF JUSTICE

REQUIREMENTS ARE HIGH, WHILE SALARIES ARE EXTREMELY LOW

(By Ernest L. Lloyd)

(Editor's Note—This is the second of a series of three articles written on this subject by Mr. Lloyd. The third article will appear in our issue of next week.)

Any bright young man or woman just graduated from the Comanche high school can take a course of a few months in a good business college and go at once to a position paying at least $100 per month for twelve months in the year, with good prospect of advance in salary before the end of the first year. If the same graduate of our high school should take a short course in a normal school, rather than the business college, and then spend one year teaching, in a country community or a very small town, he or she might secure a position as teacher in the Comanche public school at a salary of $75 per month for nine months in the year, according to the scale of salaries now paid. He or she could not hope to secure an increase in salary without taking at least two years of college work, after which he might secure a position as teacher in our high school at a salary of $95 per month for nine months in the year. If he should prove for several years to be a first class teacher, and in addition should show unusual ability as an exeutive, so that he would be capable of directing an enterprise housed in a plant worth $100,000, employing 24 trained workers, and effecting directly the welfare of more than 1200 boys and girls—if he should have sufficinat ability for this big job, he might be elected superintendent of the Comanche schools at a salary of $1800 a year. On the other hand, if he had taken the business college course instead of the normal course, and had entered the commercial world instead of the educational world, and had shown such skill in his work and such executive ability as would place him in an executive position of responsibility equal to that of superintending the Comanche schools, he would draw a salary not less than $5,000 per year, and perhaps much more.

Losing the Teacher

A recent educational publication is authority for the statement that 143,000 teachers of the United States resigned last year to go into better paid work. The general education committee, recently apopinted by our governor, reports as follows: "At least 50,00 children of Texas have this year had no teacher at all. Complete reports would probably show an actual shortage of at least 2,000 teachers."

It should be borne in mind that the teachers who leave the profession on account of low salaries are as a rule our most capable teachers. Justice to our boys and girls requires that the salaries paid to teachers be large enough to attract to the work of teaching our brightest and best equipped men and women.

Discouraging the Teacher

Any teacher can do better work on an adequate salary than he can do on an inadequate salary. Teaching is a work which is the expression of on'e whole personality. The teacher's every thought, his every mood, enters into his work. If the teacher feels that he is not properly appreciated, that his salary is not a just one, if he is cramped and embarrassed in his finances, so that he has difficulty in living up to the standard that is expected of him, so that he has difficulty in paying his honest debts, he cannot possibly put his heart and his enthusiasm into the work as he could if he had a salary which was a just recognition of the worth of his work, and which enabled him to live in comfort and up to the expected standard without financial embarrassment. Justice to our boys and girls requires that we pay to our teachers such salaries as will enable them to put into their work that interest and enthusiasm which is necessary for the best type of teaching.

Discrediting the Teacher

At the present salary rate, the value of our teachers to the community is reducted by the fact that they can in the community which they would have if they were better paid. Whether it be right or not, it is a fact, not have that standing and influence that person's standing and influence in any community is determined largely, not altogether, by the size of his income. When Mary gets old enough to discover that the young lady who is teaching her draws only $75 per month for nine months, while Mary's sister, with less school training, doing the work of a stenographer, draws $100 per month for twelve months, it is almost certain that Mary will conclude that her teacher is inferior to her sister. Ever after that, whatever the teacher says will not have quite as much weight with Mary as it would have had otherwise—it will not have quite as much weight with her as what her stenographer sister says. When John, who is a pupil in the high school, discovers that his older brother, who went into the employ of a good firm just after he had finished his high school course, and who, after having been with the firm for two or three years is now drawing a salary of $1800 per year, and that another brother who quit school at the end of the sixth grade is now working at the carpenter's trade and making between $1500 and $1800 per year, while the young man who is teaching English to John in the high school, has taken a college course and has taught several years, but draws less than $1000 per year—when John discovers these facts, it is certain that the high school teachers will decline in John's estimation. Thereafter he will regard his teacher as inferior to his brothers and will give much more consideration to his brothers' views on questions of importance than he does to the views of his teachers. This attitude toward the teacher is also of the fathere and mother of Mary and John. They say to themselves, ""Our children's teacher is a nice young man or young woman, who is bright in books and capable of teaching books to our children, but who is not altogether practical in his or her ideas, and whose judgment in important affairs should not be given much weight. In fact, the teacher is not fit for any other kind of work; because, if he were, he would surely do something that pays better than teaching." This is the mental attitude that many parents hold and which they unconsciously impart to their children. If this is a just opinion of some teachers, it is merely because the salaries have not been sufficient to command only first class men and women for the work of teaching. In our own schools, only a few months ago, an upstart boy, whose father is engaged in work that requires no school training whatever, but is more remunerative than that of teaching, made an impudent remark to his teacher, which indicated that he had very little respect for her opinion because her salary was smaller than that of his father. Thus we employ men and women to teach our boys and girls, and then we discredit them in the minds of our boys and girls, and thereby kill their influence with our boys and girls by paying them grossly inadequate salaries. Justice to our boys and girls requires that our teachers have salaries that will give them a commanding influence in all the homes of the community.

Advertising Our Town

A substantial increase in the salaries of our teachers would bring an increase in the population of our town and a rise in real estate values. If the news should go out over the state of Texas that the town of Comanche will pay to its teachers next year salaries higher than those paid by other towns and cities of the state, it would be the finest piece of advertising possible for Comanche. As it is the salaries of our grade teachers are just a little above the average for the state and considerably below the best. The salaries of our high school teachers and our superintendent are even below the average. Practically every community in Texas will increase the salaries of its teachers for next year. If Comanche makes only a small increase, we shall not raise our rank as an educational town nor better our condition. But, if we make a big increase in the salaries of our teachers, so that the teachers in our schools have salaries equal to the best in the state, and considerably superior to those paid in the great majority of the towns and cities, we would soon be able to command for our schools the picked teachers of the entire state of Texas. Each year in Texas there are thousands of families moving from rural communities and from the small towns to the larger towns for the purpose of educating their children. They represent the best people in the state, the most desirable element to be added to the population of any town or city. Many such families have already come to Comanche. But, if the news should go out that Comanche has determined in the future to pay unusually high salaries to its teachers it would be recognized that within a short time our schools would have practically the best teachers in the state, and therefore families that appreciate education would come to our town in increasing numbers.

Comanche already has very superior schools. Our high school has unusually high standing at the state university. The number of boys and girls who complete the high school course in Comanche each year is considerably above the average for towns of this size. We have a number of teachers in our schools of very superior order. The wonder is that on such salaries as are paid we have been able to retain the services of such men and women. It may be that there a few teachers in the Comanche schools who are well paid at their present salaries—the writer does not know of any. Any teacher in Comanche who is not worth twice as much as he or she is getting is not a suitable person to teach our boys and girls. If there should be in our schools any inferior teachers, it would be a very easy thing to replace them with first class teachers if the right salary should be offered.

Justice to our boys and girls requires that our teachers receive next year a very substantial increase in salaries.

DR. S. P. BROOKS TO SPEAK HERE TUESDAY

WILL ADDRESS CITIZENS ON ISSUES OF PRESENT CAMPAIGN

Y. W. Holmes, chairman of the pro-administration democratic forces in this county announces that Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor University, will speak in De Leon next Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. and at Comanche on the same date at 8:00 p. m. on the issues of the present campaign.

Clean-up Week, April 26, May 1

Arrangements have been made for a sufficient number of wagons to handle all the refuse on every street in the residence as well as business section of the city. So have your trash assembled in a convenient place for the wagons to reach.

But the Clean Up campaign does not end with next week. That is only the beginning--the annual bath, if you please.

After the surface trash has been removed we want to see dark corners brightened up with paint, flowers and other fresh and sanitary coverings. This committee wants to see Comanche a better place to live in and a more beautiful place to look upon.

Announcement of prizes may be made a little later. Be getting your premises in condition to enter the contest.

The City Administration is co-operating in every possible way.

MRS. WM. DINGUS, Chairman.

MAY 1ST TAG DAY IN INTEREST OF SCHOOLS

FUNDS ARE TO BE USED IN CAMPAIGN FOR STATE AMENDMENT

The first day of May has been named as tag day in Comanche, in line with the move throughout the state. The funds raised on that day by the sale of tags will be used in the campaign in the interest of the educational amendment to the state constitution. Plans are being made for an active sale of tags in Comanche on that day.

DENNEY WELL WAITING ON CASING AT EIGHTY FEET

Th Denney well, seven and a half miles norhwest of Comanche, which was spudded in last week, is waiting on large casing to shut off the water, which was encountered at 50 feet. The well is now 80 feed deep.

J. E. Bonser Critically Ill

J. E. Bonser of the Chief-Exponent force, who has been sick for the past two weeks, grew suddenly worse Thursday and his condition was criteal throughout the afternoon, there seeming to be but little hope that he would live through the day. Reports from his bedside in the early part of last night, however, said that he seemed slightly improved.

PRAISE HEARD FOR WORK ON SIPE SPRINGS ROAD

Enthusiastic comments continue to be heard from people who travel the Comanche-Sipe Springs road, on the condition in which that road is being put by the work now in progress. Frequent travelers of the road are anxious that the work be not stopped before it is fully completed, for it would mean, as they say, that much that has already been done. Committees this week while collecting up amounts previously pledged for the road work by citizens here have added several new subscriptions to the list.

Mme. Schuman-Heink, the world's greatest contralto, at Brownwood, Thursday, May 13. Reservations should be made early in order to assure your getting good seats. Tickets $2.00 and $3.00. For reservations write Cameron Marshall, Howard Payne College, Brownwood.

DISTRICT COURT NOW ON NON JURY DOCKET

CRIMINAL DOCKET WILL BE TAKEN UP MONDAY, MAY 3

District court opened Monday morning, Judge Arnold presiding. The court has been engaged this week on the non_jury civil docket, and the jury civil docket will be taken up next Monday. The criminal docket will be called the following week.

The following grand jury was empanneled and is now at work: J. A. Stailey, foreman, H. L. Stewart, J. C. Henderson, Walter Smith George C. McKinzie, C. L. McCamey, D. L. Morris, George T. Sloan, E. M. Stone, J. J. Collins, C. J. Campbell, Mack D. Miller.

GENERAL NEWS REVIEW

Former President Taft in an address before 3000 people in Dallas Sunday told them that the "League of Nations is a partnership of reasons and that no real difference exists between democrats and republicans who approve the fact. He said he could not understand a so called christian nation refusing to accept whatever means might be at hand to minimize the probability of future conflicts. The race in armaments is dangerous if allowed to go unchecked he said. As the League of Nations is based on honor, conscience and god faith it "is not surprising that certain politicians fail to understand it and can not agree with it ."

Hoover is the most popular conumdrum before the people today, the rock on which his candidacy rests is the League of Nations. He says that he will run for president on the Republican ticket if they want him. But he wants the League just as bad as Mr. Wilson wants it, even though he is not so particular about its wording, etc. He put in five good years of his life in saving Europe and does not think the job finished. Also he has a Quaker conscience which tells him that the United States is not a finished product. Morally and economically they are still in need of regeneration. Mr. Hoover is not likely to be elected but at least, it is observed we have seen a man whose moral convictions are stronger than his party affiliations.

Since Hoover has been eliminated from the Democratic forces, some of the party leaders say that the nomination lies between Palmer and McAdoo with Ambassador John W. Davis of West Virginia as the most possible "dark horse."

In a speech in Aurora, Ill., General Wood said: "I am glad to see women getting into politics. I think they will be the biggest factor in bringing labor and capital together in an honest understanding."

Senator Hiram Johnson will not accept the vice-presidential nomination if he is tendered it, both of his managers assert:

Congressman Eugene Black, at Paris Texas, last week expressed the belief that the League of Nations would be an issue in the presidential campaign; that the San Francisco convention would declare in favor of it with certain interpretative reservations, and that there would be a fight among the Republicans between the element that doesn't want any league at all, led by Hiram Johnson, and the division that favors the league with the Lodge reservations. He thinks the Lodge wing will win and will nominate either Hoover, Harding or Lowden. The Democrats, he thinks, will nominate Palmer or McAdoo for President and Cox of Ohio for Vice President.

Representative Rufus Ha[illegible] ged the Republicans w[illegible] bid for the German speech in the Hou[illegible] pointed out that i[illegible] a separate peace w[illegible] criticism was utter[illegible]

MANY SEE OIL BAILED FROM STURKIE WELL

EXCITEMENT ENSUES WHEN MATCH IS DROPPED IN SLUSH PIT

A crowd numbered by the hundreds visited the Sturkie well near Hasse Saturday afternoon and saw oil bailed from the well. Over 500 people were ed at the barbecue dinner in the grov near the derrick at noon and there were perhaps twice that number or more at the well when the bailing was done. Empty bottles were handed out to the crowd, and these were filled with oil from the slush pit as the bailer was emptied.

The most common expression heard among the crowd on the grounds after this demonstration, and also by many after they had returned to Comanche, was: "well, the Sturkie well looks good."

An exciting event of the day came just as the crowd was dispersing, Someone dropped a match in the slush pit, or ditch, quite a distance from the derrick, at about the furtherest point to which the oil had reached.

The general supposition was that he wanted to see if it would burn.

It would.

A dense black volume of smoke rolled into the air and the flames rapidly spread over the oil covered surface of the pit until they were near the derrick, while pandemonium was threatened for a few moments as a number of mothers rushed about calling for their children who were mingling with the crowd. By good fast work the derrick was saved just about the time that many onlookers had decided that they wouldn't give a dime for its chances, and the children were again assembled

The actual showing of oil in the well has sharpened the interest of many who were already watching developments there very closely. That the oil is of a very fine quality is unquestioned, and it only remains to see, it is believed, what a little deeper drilling will show as to the amount As some expressed it, " of course it isn't an actual oil well as yet, but it certainly shows fine prospects."

Mr. Gillette, president of the Comanche Oil Association, states that he expects to beready to resume drilling within two or three days.

many but much was said against France and England. He says the Republicans are also trying to catch the Italian vote by their stand in regard to France as they realize that the German and Italian vote is the largest foreign vote in the United States.

President Wilson met his cabinet last week for the first time in nearly eight months. The meeting lasted one hour and a qaurter and was held for the purpose of discussing the outlaw railroad strike. It was decided to let Attorney General Palmer work out the situation. The president was in fine spirits and much stronger than the members of the cabinet expected.

The jury in the inquest into the death of Mayor Mac Curtain of Cork, Ireland, who was assassinated last month, brought in a charge of wilful murder against Lloyd George, the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland and members and officers of the Royal Irish Constabulary. They also stated that this callous murder was executed by the Royal Irish constabulary and directed by the British government. It is not thought that the charge means any more than an expression of sentiment.

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STRAYED—Bay horse mule; weight about 1050 pounds; no marks; fresh sheared. Notify I. L. Buford, Box 491, Desdemona, Texas. 35-35p

FOR SALE—Set Oak Dining Room Furniture; One oil cook stove.
34-35c R. V. Adams.

STRAYED—A slim, reddish brown horse mule; weight 1050 pounds; extra long tail. $25.00 Reward.
34-36p J. F. Grissom

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34-35p George Gleaton.

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Wanted—Small iron safe. See or telephone H. S. Ware at office of Texas Power and Light Co. (35-36c

For Sale—Good second hand Refrigerator holds 75pounds Ice. Will sell at a bargain. Mrs. O. M. Simmons at Burks Mercantile Co. 35c

LOST—Between Comanche and [illegible] Corner one lady's folding purse containing about $10 and other [illegible] please return to Chief-Exponent office. (35-36p)

WEEKLY SERMON

(Editor's Note)—Arrangements not having been made this week for the copy for the weekly sermon by one of the local pastors, the following prayer from the "Easter Page" of the Austin Statesman is given in lieu thereof. The sermon next week will be by Dr. John Power of Brownwood, pastor of St. Mark's church in Comanche.)

"Our Father, thou hast not ordained it that only those with perfect heart may approach thee. So we come to thee as our Father. We thank thee for thy unwearied love that nourishes us. On every side we have tokens of thy love, thy care and faithfulness. Help us to recognize thee more perfectly. Make the way easy and inspire us with right thoughts. Grant that we may walk henceforth less sordid and more stately, for we are dependent upon thy care who will never forsake us. Hasten the day, Our Father, when all around the earth among the many-tongued people of this globe, there shall be but one thought of peace, of gladness, of purity, of justice, of love toward God and man. Thou hast made thyself a refuge for all people since the world began, and unto the end thou shalt be a fatherly God, full of compassion. Thou art love, thy very works do manifest thee. Every hour comes laden with thy blessing. Where there is disappointment and loss sanctify them. May we perceive thee in all things. As children we are not in haste to learn thy counsels, but rather to know our duty. We would learn the wisdom of Christianity. Teach us to love thee. We are poor scholars for we know not how to love wisely. Help us to love, for thou art worthy. And at last bring us with exceeding joy, through the infinite mercy and love of Jesus Christ, cleansed and made meet for the heavenly society of thyself, that we may walk with the ransomed, and take part in that praise with which we will surround thy throne. Hear us, our Fatherly God; through Jesus Christ, thy well-beloved Son, to whom be glory, now and in the ages yet to come, even for evermore. Amen."

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A Hard Working Letter

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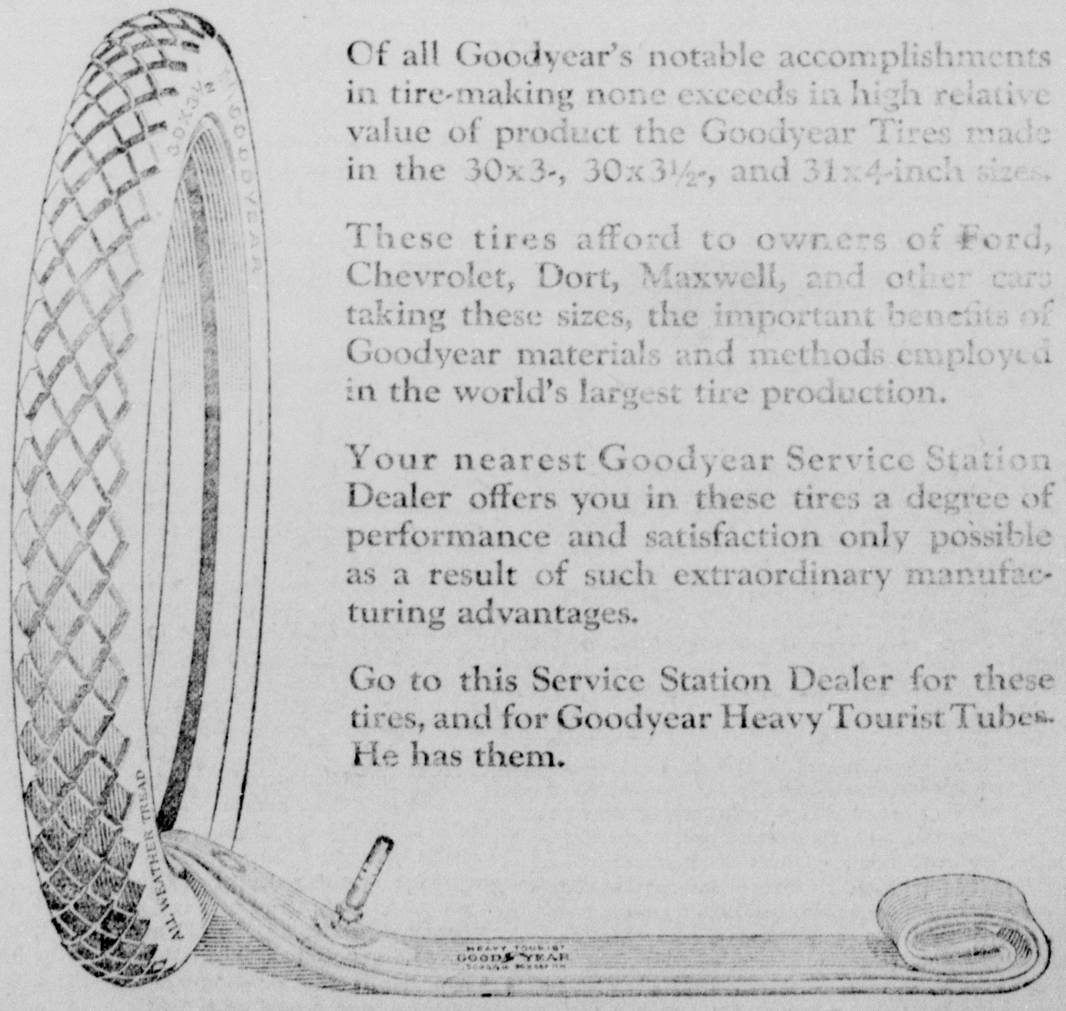

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to Action of Democratic Primary

For District Judge—
G. E. JOHNSON
Formerly of Comanche County
OWEN F. WATKINS
of Coryell County
J. R. McCLELLAN
(Of Gatesville)

For District Attorney:
JOE H. EIDSON
Of Hamilton County

For Representative, 109th District.
C. J. LEE, (Re-election)

For District Clerk
R. H. (BOB) ROBERTSON
JOHN H. REESE

For County Judge:
BOB McCAMPBELL
F. J. (JEFF) REESE

For County Attorney:
R. F. HOLLOWAY

For County Clerk:
MRS. JENNIE ELLIS GARRETT
(Re-election, second term)

For Sheriff:
L. F. (LEWIS) MARSHALL
W. R. (BOB) DYSON
TOM J. NABERS

For Tax Assessor:
C. M. EDMONDSON
GEO. R. GOOSBY

For County Tax Collector:
CLAUDE A. WELLS
B. W. SPEED
J. D. (JIM) SLACK

For County Superintendent:
MISS GEORGIA ROBERTSON
H. L. GANTZ
(of Newburg)

For Commissioner, Prect. 1:
E. V. GILL.
J. B. PAYNE
S. A. LITTLE

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
JESS H. HARRIS

For Commissioner, Prect. 3:
F. M. ROBERSON
JESSE PURVIS

Death Lurks in a Weak Heart

so on first symptoms use "Renovine" and be cured. Delay and pay the awful penalty. "Renovine" is the heart's remedy. Price $1.00 and 50c.

Farms and City Property

10 miles Southwest of Comanche on Zephyr-Mercer Gap road 131 acres out of J. M. Burns survey, with 35 acres in cultivation about have remainder tillable, good grass, good water, small house and outbuildings. $25 per acre, $1,000 cash, balance on good terms.

1 mile south of Hasse, 60 acres of sandy land, with 50 acres in cultivation, 3 room house, good well and tank. All fenced. Now under lease, 1-2 royalty retained in sale. Price for the whole tract, $2,000.

Near Newburg, 162 acres out of McCurdy and Scott surveys, with 70 acres in cultivation, best soil in the county, all in cultivation nice, level black land; first class residence, good outbuildings, windmill, tank, running water through pasture, excellent grass, well fenced. 30 acres more can be cultivated. One of the best farms in the community: offered for $45 per acre. $9,000 in loan.

South on West Main, five room bungalow, with two large porches, pantry and hall, fireplace, good brick flue, house built strictly frame throughout, everything in first class condition, large lot 150x150, barn almost new, good well and cistern, new picket fence, cow lot and garden. This place is an excellent purchase at $2,000, and owner offers good terms.

In northwest part of town, eight room dwelling, two porches, windmill, independent water system, electric lights, good barn, cow shed and garage three acres of land, all fenced hog tight, young orchard, all nicely located in best part of town. Offered at $3,800, half cash, rest on good terms.

H. L. Stewart & Co.
PHONE 88
Comanche, Texas

Methodist Church

Our Sunday school set a new record last Sunday. The total attendance was 221, which is an increase of 39 over the attendance of the preceding Sunday and an increase of more than 100per cent over the attendance that we were having last fall.

Our church has purchased the small building just south of our property, which was formerly the property of the Boy Scouts. This building will be put into good repair and equipped for our Primary Department, pupils 7, 8 and 9 years of age.

The pastor will preach next Sunday at 11:00 o'clock a. m. and at 7:45 o'clock a. m. Sunday school will meet at 9:45 o'clock a. m. The public is cordially invited to worship with us.

Ernest L. Lloyd, Pastor

HORSE BADLY CUT BY FALL

SPECIALIST'S PRESCRIPTION PREVENTS COMPLICATION.

In telling of the accident to his horse, Mr. Luther Carmen of Valley Park, Mo., stated: "My horse fell down and cut his knees all up. I dressed them with Dr. LeGear's Antiseceptic Healing Powder and they are healing fine. It is a wonderful remedy for healing sores on horses."

Mr. Carmen is simply voicing the sentiments of hundreds of others who feel that having Dr. LeGar's personal prescriptions on hand at all times is nearly as good as having Dr. LeGear where they could reach him in a few minutes.

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but possesed by few—a beautiful head of hair. If yours is streaked with gray, or is harsh and stiff, you can restore it to its former beauty and lustre by using "La Creole" Hair Dressing. Price $1.

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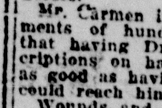
The most scientific and most wonderful facial preparation of the modern age. It imparts to the skin a velvety softness and delicacy which is delightful in appearance and pleasing in effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the Sun and Wind. In the evening its use assures a faultless complexion. Tints: White and Flesh. All dealers, 35c, 50c and $1.00, or sent post paid on receipt of price. Sample for the asking.



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DALLAS, TEXAS

Brain Is Inflexible.

The size of a muscle may be increased by exercise or even by temporary use. The bony structure of our limbs is inside and controls their size only to a certain extent. But in the case of the head, the bony structure is outside and encloses the soft tissues like a box. There is absolutely no opportunity for increase of size, permanent or temporary, after the growth of the body. Recent studies of the brain, we are told by an editorial writer in the Journal of the American Medical Association, have, indeed, shown that slight changes in its bulk may be brought about, but only by altering the volume and pressure of the other occupants of the skull—the blood and the cerebrospinal fluid.

Strike Oil In Morocco.

Important petroleum developments are expected from the French districts of Morocco where one small well, located at Dgecel, is producing three tons of oil a day. Twelve more wells are being drilled. Government committees supervising supplies of gasoline for France are considering leasing the petroleum springs at Pechelbrown, Alsace, a short distance northwest of Strasbourg. Exemption of petroleum from import duty is contemplated, and many important industries are transforming their furnaces so that oil may be burned instead of coal.

SALESMEN WANTED—To solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address THE HARVEY OIL CO., Cleveland, Ohio. 32p

Porpoise Killed Shark.

How a bottle-nosed dolphin, a porpoise commonly called the seahog, slew a 6-foot shark, is described by Galveston (Texas) fishermen, who say they witnessed the killing from the causeway which connects Galveston island with the mainland.

The seahog, according to the books, is a "most sociable and gregarious fish," but these fishermen declared there was nothing sociable about this dolphin. When the shark was within a few feet of the porpoise the fishermen saw the seahog charge, a gray streak in the water. It struck the shark squarely amidships, they declare, ripped it open and then tore the body into pieces.

The theory of the fishermen is that the porpoise fought to protect its single young one, which the shark was menacing.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Comanche.

Whereas, by virtue of authority vested in me, as trustee, named and appointed in a certain deed of trust, recorded in Volume 30, pages 13 et seq. of the Records of Deeds of Trust of Comanche County, Texas, dated January 2nd, 1920, executed by the Del Norte Petroleum Company, and delivered to me on January 2nd, 1920, by the Del Norte Petroleum Company, for better securing the payment of two certain promissory notes of $12,000.00 and $10,000.00 respectively, each, more fully described in said deed of trust, said notes executed by F. J. Neal, E. K. Burge and J. S. Girsham and payable to the order of T. O. Massey and N. W. Smith, originally made payable by the terms thereof, the $10,000 note in sixty days and the $12,000 note in ninety days after date, but changed by writing endorsement on the back thereof to be due, the $10,000 note on Sept. 16th, 1919, and the $12,000 note on Oct. 16th, 1919, and said notes were by written extension from time to time extended finally to 25th day of February, 1920; each of said notes bear 6 per cent interest from July 16th, 1919, with all interest paid until November 10th, 1919, and with $1000 of principal paid on the $12,000 note on December 12th, 1919, and with another $1000 paid on said $12,000 note on December 30th, 1919, said interest payable annually as it accrues, both of said notes providing for the payment of ten per cent additional on interest and principal unpaid as attorneys fees, if collected by law or placed in the hands of an attorney for collection; and said notes having been placed in the hands of an attorney for collection said attoracys fees have become due and payable; the whole of said notes were afterwards assumed by the Del Norte Petoleum Company of Texas.

And, whereas, the said T. O. Massey and N. W. Smith are the holders and owners of said notes, and the said F. J. Neal, E. K. Burge, J. S. Grisham, and Del Norte Petroleum Company of Texas, have and each of them have made default in the payment of said notes above described, except as to payment of part of interest and part of principal as above described, and the same is now past due and unpaid, principal, interest and attorneys fees, and by reason thereof and as provided in said deed of trust, and in said notes, the said T. O. Massey and N. W. Smith have declared indebtedness due now aggregating the sum, principal, interest and attorneys fees, $22,652.48; and whereas I have been requested by the said T. O. Massey and N. W. Smith to enforce said trust, and sell the land covered by said deed of trust as follows, to-wit:

Lying and being situated in Comanche County, Texas, 20 acres off of the north end of the Thomas Childress survey, Patent No. 631, Vol. 23, in Comanche County, Texas, and being the same land described in an assignment of oil and gas lease as executed by B. E. Sparks July 28th, 1919, in favor of the Trustees of the Del Norte Petroleum Company of Texas, to which reference is hereby made and the same is made a part hereof, said assignment being of record on the deed records of Comanche County, Texas. It is understood that said deed of trust is intended to cover the mineral rights and lease on said land only and not the surface rights further than necessary to operate for minerals.

I will offer for sale and sell between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. o'clock, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the First Tuesday in May, 1920, the same being May 4th, 1920, at the Courthouse door in the town of Comanche, in Comanche County, Texas, the said mineral rights and lease in said property as described above and set out in said deed of trust, with all the rights, and property incident thereto or in anywise belonging.

Witness my hand this 5th day of April, 1920.

B. E. SPARKS,
Trustee.

23-35p

ATTEND THE CONVENTIONS

The Republicans, as soon as the armistice was signed, laid aside all thoughts of patriotism, and formed the "great conspiracy" to do "anything necessary" to win the Presidency, in the hope of regaining their special privileges, particularly the privilege of controlling the money of the country and of fattening on the public through the tariff, which special privileges they lost when the Democrats passed the Federal Reserve act, revised the tariff down and create a Tariff Commission.

Will Democrats help them? Democrats may come out to the conventions, on time, at two o'clock, May 1, and vote to endorse the Democratic Administration, and thus help to defeat the conspiracy; or they may remain at home and thus help to further the conspiracy of the elmorers after special privileges, and deliver the government over to them.

Come to the conventions. The dupes of the hirelings of the Republican Conspirators and of other interests will be there—the Republicans themselves will be there, if you will let them in—the Socialists will be there, if you will let them in— the old guard of the liquor interest talking the while about State Rights will be there—the opponants of woman suffrage will be there—WILL YOU BE THERE?

Y. W. Holmes
County Chairman
(Political Advertisement)

Duncan

(Regular Correspondence.)

April 21—Our school closed last Friday with quite a number of outsiders present, and the County Superintendant made a talk just after the stew which everyone enjoyed. There was also a large crowd attended the program that night.

Varied assortment of "Jersey Ice Cream Freezers", easiest to operate, easiest to clean and requires less salt and ice than any other freezer. Todd, Randals & Jennings. 35c

See Slider and Lacy for Mebane and Rowden planting seed. 34-35

ALL FOR FREEDOM

Desperate Chances to Escape Taken by Prisoners.

Even When Almost Certain Death Is Faced, Convicts Have Been Known to Go On With Their Efforts.

Pepper got his cognomen from his method of highway robbery. Walking along the street in the evening, he carried an unlighted pipe between his teeth. When, in some lonesome spot, he saw a pedestrian stop to light a cigar, Pepper would accost him, asking him to "hold the match." When the fellow traveler obliged, Pepper, instead of lighting his innocent-looking pipe, turned it toward the eyes of his victim, and blew hard. The pipe was of special construction and filled with red pepper. The victim, blinded by this horrible assault, could do nothing to defend himself until relieved of his valuables.

With two terms already behind him, Pepper was sent to Clinton. There he immediately began to plan an escape, and in his plans exhibited great cleverness.

He worked in the clothing shop of the prison. One piece at a time, working over a period of eight months, Pepper stole a complete civilian outfit from the shop. The ensemble he hid in his pillow.

Banging his way loudly, Pepper made for the warden's office. Without even knocking he stumbled in. The warden happened to be very busy at the moment, but this did not deter Pepper. "I've come to sell you some meat!" he declared confidentially.

"Sergeant!" bawled the warden, "take this d——d pest and throw him out! He's bothering me!" The sergeant came in and removed the obstreperous meat seller, dumping him outside the gates with force and relish. It was not until Pepper was across the 20 intervening miles to Canada that he really allowed himself a good laugh. Pepper stayed out of the clutches of the law until five years later, when he was foolish enough to return to New York.

At the same prison great courage enabled another break-out.

Near the prison laundry stood an empty barrel. Taking the bottom out of this, four prisoners took turns at tunneling.

After two weeks of intermittent work they reached the wall, and excavated a small chamber there for working purposes.

Finally one of the huge slabs was loosened, and worked forward to a point where it was almost about to topple into the excavation.

Here a terrible difficulty became apparent. It would be perfectly simple to release the slab, but the second it came out it would crush beyond recognition the man working in the excavation. The men talked it over gravely and decided that one of the number must be sacrificed that the other three might escape.

They drew straws. By ironic chance G——, the one of the four with more than an ordinary reason for escape, drew the shortest straw. His was the assignment. One of the others, proclaiming himself unattached, offered to take his place, but G—— refused. In the few seconds after his election he had formulated a scheme that might give him something of a chance to escape the slab when it fell.

He took down a short piece of plank. This was insufficient to stop the rush of the big stone, but he thought that, in breaking, the wood probably would delay the fall long enough to permit him to squirm out of the way. Propping it in place, he grimly worked the slab until it gave way.

It struck the plank, breaking it. Jumping back, G—— endeavored to get out of the way. He succeeded—except for his right hand. This was mashed until it was scarcely recognizable as a member. Gritting his teeth, he made no outcry, however, but turned to the work that yet remained.—E. T. Bronedon, in Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Guild Long in Service.

An ancient Irish guild, the Goldsmith's corporation, gave a dinner recently for the first time since before the war, at the Gresham hotel, Dublin. The charter was granted by Charles I in 1637, was originally established for the purpose of hall-marking all articles of gold and silver wares that were brought to their offices for marking. It has zealously discharged its duties for over 280 years and is still vigilant as ever in detecting and punishing fraudulent hall-markers. The original charter and seal, a copy of its roll of members, with the wardens' and members' oath, were exhibited, and on the table were specimens of antique silver bowls, potato rings and other articles.

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TELL YOU MEN, TIMES AINT LIKE THEY USED TO BE. THE GOVERNMENT IS ON THE WRONG TRACK, AND LOOK AT THE SEASONS, WE'RE EITHER RAINED OUT OR DROUTHED OUT. BUSINESS IS ROTTEN AND THIS TOWN IS ON THE BUM
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320 acres south of Comanche, just across the line in Mills county. About 65 acres in cultivation. 3 or 4 room house barn, fine well of water and wind mill. This tract lies partly on the mountain, but the farm is first class black land. A bargain at $3,500.00 one half cash, balance on terms.

198 acres about 14 miles south of Comanche, near Fellowship school house. About 50 to 60 acres in cultivation. Good house well and wind mill and fairly good barn and out houses. Plenty of good grass. This tract goes for $25.00 per acre, one half cash and balance on time.

84 acres about 4 miles north-east of Comanche. About 25 acres in good bermuda pasture. Balance good farming land. Running water through the farm. This is a good buy at the price asked $30.00 per acre.

South-west corner of block No4, Pavilion Park Addition to Comanche, Texas. This is a choice building site, and the lot is 153x140, large enough for two good lots. We will sell the above altogether or cut same into two lots. If you want a cheap building lot you connot beat this at $550.00.

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Comanche, Texas

Please Take Notice

Please take notice that I am in favor of a change in the National Administration and expect to do all I can in a quiet gentlemany way towards the election of a Republican President.

To this end I earnestly request that all citizens living in the vicinity of Sipe Springs, and who are of the same mind, let me know at once so that we may do what is possible to accomplish that purpose.

E. B. Dewey,
Sipe Springs, Texas
(Political Advertisement)

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Kidney troubles are getting more common every day. Government health bureau figures say deaths from this cause are 72 per cent more than 20 years ago.

Anybody who suffers constant backache, who feels blue, nervous, irritable; who has dizzy spells, headache and urinary disorders should suspect kidney weakness. Over worked kidneys must have a rest. Take things easier; live more carefully. Take a good kidney remedy to build the kidneys up again.

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Taylor Chapel
(Regular Correspondence)

(Left over from Last Week)

April 13—Miss Vergie Drennan and her brother, Henry, of Bibb visited their aunt, Mrs. Jim Powers last Sunday.

Mrs. Johnston and her son, Keifer, and little grand daughter visited at the home of Mrs. J. J. Sunday.

Miss Willie Sledge who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. A. Callins, of Comanche the last week, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers visited Earl Clark Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coker visited Mr. Coker's brother near Sidney Saturday night and Sunday.

Several of the young folks attended the party at Henry Gressett's Saturday night.

As Mr. Walter Champion was returning from a dance near Beattie Saturday night his horse became frightened and came in home without any driver.

Miss Myrtle Janes and Wren Hartman attended church at Sweetwater Saturday night.

Mr. Curt Sledge of Duster visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sledge from Friday until Sunday.

Miss Carrie Brown, who has been visiting her relatives at Priddy, after an extended visit, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Patton visited Mr. Forrest Hattox Sunday.

Mrs. Jesss. Eads visited her sister Mrs. Earl Clark, Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl Eads' sister Miss Crounover of Turkey Creek visited her from Friday until Monday.

Miss Nita Singleton visited Miss Edith Powers Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Willie Reagens gave the young folk a dance Friday night.

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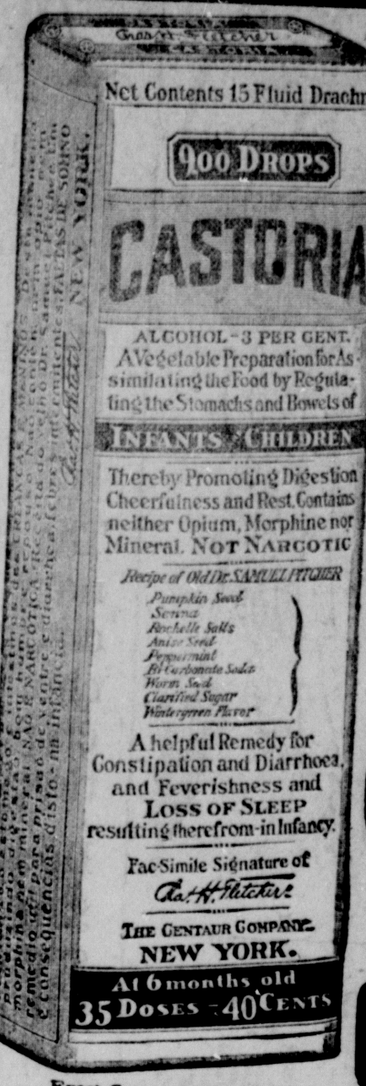
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Our companies are among the oldest and strongest in the world. Grandview, Ranger, Desdemona, Fort Worth; all have had big fires recently. Our turn may be next; perhaps you are careful, but how about your neighbors?

Labor and lumber prices have trebled in the past three years. Would your present protection cover three-fourths of your loss in case of fire?

This is the open season for high winds; remember North Texas last year. Tornado insurance costs only thirty cents a hundred; why be without it?

Our automobile policies cover fire, theft, wind, lightning, property damage and collision; don't be without protection on your new car.

Phone 88 now, or see our insurance man at the new brick office in postoffice block.

THE CHIEF-EXPONENT APRIL 23, 1920.

A Mid-Season Selling Event Of Rare Importance

With utmost confidence and unbounded enthusiasm we announce the launching of a clearance sale of the greatest interest to the buying public of Comanche and adjoining trade territory. In the midst of the season when values are usually steady we are scaling down prices for this sale to the point that will materially reduce the high cost of living. To make buying from us even more satisfactory you'll find in our Dry Goods Department one of the most complete and attractive stocks it has ever been our pleasure to show. You'll find what you want here and the price will be one of the most pleasing features of the transaction. You'll find below descriptions of some of our many most unusual and attractive offerings. An early visit will be greatly appreciated.

Miss Angie Slack will meet you in our Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Dept. and assist you in selections

Sensational Special Sale on Dresses

The SAVING IN PRICE on these beautiful garments are extraordinary as you will agree when you see the superb workmanship and distinct style of every dress. Here are dresses made of taffeta, charmeuse plain and Emb. georgette, crepe meteor, satins and floral crepes, in navy, copen, taupe, black, brown, and striking combinations.

Dresses of real charm and value are reduced as follows:—

$75 dresses are priced at	$60
$65 dresses are priced at	$49.50
$50 dresses are priced at	$37.50
$40 dresses are priced at	$30
$35 dresses are priced at	$27.50
$30 dresses are priced at	$25
$25 dresses are priced at	$19.50

ATTRACTIVE OFFERINGS, ETC.

In our Shoe Department especially attractive in both price and quality are these;—

A patent pump, colonial style, french heel, at the pair	$12.50
Pretty soft kid pumps, can either be worn with buckle or one eylet tie, high French heel, very pretty for	10.00
Brown kid pump, plain tailored finish, high heel for	6.00
A very attractive black kid pump, military heel at	6.50
Patent colonial pumps, full Louis heel, one of our most popular numbers to sell at	6.50
Dark brown kid oxfords, French heel, cap toe at	10.00
A turn sole, flexible kid oxford, very papular for real comfort at	5.00
Brown kid, one eyelet Julian & Kokenge pump, on all lasts, at	15.00
A "Fifth Avenue" tongue pump in both patent and soft kid, pretty French heel at	12.50
"Ye Old Tyme Comforts", a soft comfortable turn sole, low heel slipper for elderly ladies, at 5, 6 and	6.50
Little tots "First Step" slippers in one strap pumps, flexible soles, soft finish uppers, come in black patent, kid, white, browns and grey 1.50 to	3.00
A dandy school oxford for growing girls is our "Red Goose" make, gunmetal, double flexible sole, low heel, priced	7.50
Patent kid, baby doll, ankle strap pumps in all sizes, 5 and	6.00

PACKARDS For Men and Young Men

Underwear of Quality

Ankle length pettibockers are the rage—all best shades in silk jersey knickers, finished with double ruffles or Vandyke points at ankle. Silk petticoats in all best shades made of jersey or Milanese with flounces of taffeta or same material.

Prices on these beautiful undergarments range from

$8.50 to $12.50

50 Per Cent Saving

We are offering a complete line of men's and young men's felt hats in all the new novelties at old prices.

A clear saving to you of one half present values.

Trunks and Bags

Equip yourself for the summer vacation with a trunk, nice suit case or hand bag.

We have a wonderful assortment to select from in all leathers in both black and tan.

Suit Cases	$2.00 to $20
Hand bags at	$6 to $60

We especially take pride in a new and entirely individual collection of ladies blouses on display this week. Exquisite styles in the beaded and wool embroidered georgettes in peplum effects. Such new and striking colors as orchid, sunset, peach, mais and white. These blouses are very moderate in price.

NEIGHBORHOOD DRESSES

and Bungalow Aprons. Scotch plaid ginghams combined with dainty organdies, and pretty striped percales trimmed in solids on pockets and belts.

These house dresses are selling fast at from ..... $1.50 to $8.50

Hart Schaffner & Marx Quality Clothes

A special lot of young men's suits, very newest patterns and cuts for the real up-to-date young man.
Prices are very reasonable at $25, $30, $35

For genuine quality Hart Schaffner & Marx suits are the key note. Nifty new patterns for both young and older men in the best spring shades.

Silk shirts are becoming more and more popular. Pretty new stripes and solids in Habutai silk and Crepe de Chine at ..... $6.50 to $12.50

An elaborate displap of fancy silk sox in both drop stitch and plain.

Men's pajamas in both white and pretty colors.

Higginbotham's

Our Piece Goods Secons are Attractive

WITH THE MOST WONDERFUL FABRICS FOR THE SUMMER SEASON

Solid colored sheer organdies in the beautiful distinct shades here, yellow, mais, orchid, green, copen, sky, pink and lovely qualities in white at from ..... 60c to $1.75 per yard
Exquisitely printed sheer voiles, lovely floral and scroll designs in very attractive color combinations.
Priced at from ..... 35c to $2.25 the yard
All the most popular patterns in silks are shown in our ever-popular dress goods department.
All best shades in Georgette Crepe, 40 inches wide at ..... $3.00 per yard
Pretty 40 inch Crepe de Chine in all colors at ..... $3.00 the yard
Good grade Taffetas in popular colors, 36 inches wide at ..... $3.00 and $3.50 the yard
Beautiful Baronette Satins, used so much for separate skirts ..... $6.50 per yard

Extra Specials

NEW ARRIVALS

We are featuring for this week 50 pieces of beautiful tissue ginghams and pretty sheer voiles, brand new patterns. These tissues are shown in plaids of all color combinations and we are making a special price of, per yard 65c

40 inch voiles of every conceivable shade designed with flowers and new scroll patterns, price per yard up to $2.00

Corsets of Real Value

Warner's front and back lace models have the beauty of finish that make them companionable to dainty summer lingerie.

There are models for slender, medium and large figures, in both flesh and white.
Priced very reasonable ..... $1.50 to $6.50

MUNSINGWEAR

We are featuring in our "Munsingwear" department a wonderful assortment of ladies summer union suits and knit teddies.

This underwear is known the world over for its perfect workmanship and comfortable fit. A special attractive feature in this line is a good assortment for stout figures. Unions as large as 48 and 50 bust.

The Home of Iron Clad Hose

Bear in mind that hose of real quality are hard to obtain and can not be sold at real low prices. However, the wear they give means a saving in the end.

Buy "Iron Clads" for the whole family.

Iron Clad silk hose for ladies in black, white and Cordovan, at from ..... $1.75 to $3.50

Iron Clad lisle hose for ladies in black, white and brown—a dandy for everyday wear at from ..... 50c to $1.00

Call for our No. 23 or 98, a good ribbed hose for boys and girls in black, white and brown at ..... 50c, 65c, and 85c

"Iron-Clad" Stockings for healthy, romping boys and girls are the best we can get. They wear the longest, keep their colors best and cost you no more by the pair or box than the poorer kinds. We guarantee them to give satisfaction.

Higginbotham's

More of the New

In Spring and Summer Millinery

Arriving dailly are clever hats made of hair braid and Maline combinations, nifty leghorns and georgette hats, and pretty white Milans. Something new and different every week to show you.

High Class Toilet Articles

Take a look into our well equipped "toilet goods" department. The high grade Mary Garden perfumes, toilet water, talcum and face powder—and Melba brands are our best sellers.

Melba Cold Cream	50c
Melba Cleanser Cream	50c
Melba Face Powder, in all tints	35c and 55c
Melba Rouge and Lip Stick	35c and 60c
Mavis talcum, per box	30c
Mavis Face Powder, per box	50c
Mavis Toilet Water, per bottle	$1.00
All "Cutex" nail preparations. "Splenlox" hair tonic—very highly recommended for the removal of dandruff, per bottle	$1.00

We also carry Mentholatum, listerine, peroxide and borozone in all sizes.

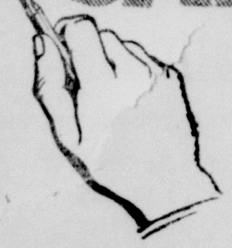
The Appearance of Your Clothes
Is a great factor in adding to your prestage but good clothes often like inferior ones because they lack the attention of a skilled tailor. We give you the service you have a right to
Cleaning, Pressing, Alterations.
Called for and delivered
GILLE The Tailor

Wayne Hill's
Tailor Shop
North Side Square
—For—
Your Spring Suit

Cleaning,
Pressing,
Alteration
Work called for and delivered

BARRED ROCK CHICKENS
(RINGLET STRAIN)
See or Write Joe Wagner, Comanche, Texas. Eggs, $3:00 per Setting of 15, delivered.

CALOMEL



Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury—quicksilver; and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work.

Take "Dodson's Liver Tone" Instead!

Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money.

Take a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tone tonight and wake up feeling great. It's perfectly harmless, so give it to your children any time. It can't salivate, so let them eat anything afterwards.

Church of Christ

Our protracted meeting will begin next Sunday, April 25. Evangelist T. M. Carney of San Angelo will do the preaching. Come and hear him. He is a very interesting speaker.

Elders Church of Christ

For the highest prices for your poultry, butter and eggs see D. C. Bailey. 34tf.

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FRENCH SACRIFICE FOR LIBERTY HEROIC

Six millions of French sons have offered their lives that democracy might live. 30 million other French men and women sacrificed their all for the same purpose. America's debt of gratitude to France for this is very great. We are also indebted to her for an invaluable remedy for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments discovered by her peasants, which it is reported has saved many American lives and prevented thousands of surgical operations. Geo. H. Mayr, for years a leading Chicago chemist imports the ingredients and sells this remedy under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflamation which causes practically all stomach liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—The Wm. Reese Co. and druggists everywehre.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic
restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. Price 60c.

A LEOPARD CANNOT CHANGE ITS SPOTS

Mr. Dodson, the "Liver Tone" Man, Tells the Treachery of Calomel.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It can not be trusted any more than a leopard or a cyclone. Take Dodson's Liver Tone when it straightens you right up and makes you feel fine. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

Irregular bowel movements lead to chronic constipation and a constipated habit fills the system with impurities. HERBINE is a great bowel regulator. It purifies the system, vitalizes the blood and puts the digestive organs in fine vigorous condition. Sold by Paris Smith.

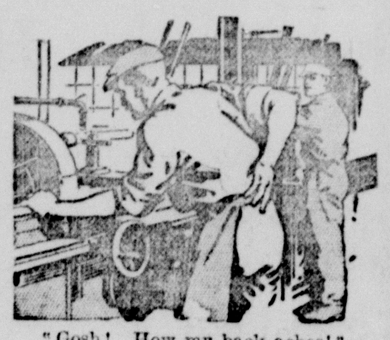
How is Your Complexion?

A woman should grow more beautiful as she grows older and she will with due regard to baths, diet and exercise, and by keeping the liver and bowels in good working order. If you are haggard and yellow, your eyes losing their lustre and whites becoming yellowish, your flesh flabby, it may be due to indigestion or to a sluggish liver. Chamberlain's Tablets correct these disorders.

Army Shoes

Send P. O. or Express money order for $3.85 to U. S. Reclaimed Shoe Dept., 518 E. Houston St., San Antonio, Texas, and receive a pair of Reclaimed Russett Army Shoes worth twice the price. All sizes. Special prices to merchants in quality orders. Write or wire for prices. 31-34

KEEP THEM VIGOROUS
When a child suffers from the slightest exposure and is thin, listless and easily tired, that child ought to receive plenty of
SCOTT'S EMULSION
regularly. It is an essential factor in the health records of thousands of children. Given regularly, with or after meals, it helps keep them in normal weight, vigorous and spirited.
Try SCOTT'S for your boy or girl.
The Norwegian cod-liver oil used in Scott's Emulsion is super-refined in our own American Laboratories. Its purity and quality is unsurpassed.
Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 19-31



"Gosh! How my back aches!"
After Grip, "flu" or colds, the kidneys and bladder are often affected—called nephritis, or inflammation of kidneys.
This is the red flag of danger—better be wise and check the further inroads of kidney disease by obtaining that wonderful discovery of Dr. Pierce's, known as Anuric (anti-uric-acid), because it expels the uric acid poison from the body and removes those pains, such as backache, rheumatism in muscles and joints.
Naturally when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrists; or under the eyes in bag-like formations.
Dr. Pierce's Anuric is many times more potent than lithia.
Send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package.
YOAKUM, TEXAS.—"After using different kinds of medicines for kidney and bladder troubles will say that I have given Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets a fair trial and was greatly benefited, and do hereby cheerfully recommend Anuric to all persons suffering from kidney and bladder troubles."—HENRY ROTH, Route 4, Box 158.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REVIEW

Prepared by the First National Bank in St. Louis.)

Our financial situation as reflected by the condition of the Federal Reserve system shows some apparent improvement for the past week. The reserve ratio on April 9th again recorded an advance over the previous week. The reserve ratio of last week was 43.3 per cent, showing a gain of .4 of 1 per cent over the previous week. Loans showed a slight reduction. Our gold holdings increased somewhat as a result of recent gold imports. Federal Reserve note issues, however, continue to expand. Our outstanding Federal Reserve notes are now at the peak, their total being $3,080,217,130; at this figure they stand about $20,000,000 above the maximum reached in 1919.

For several months past the Federal Reserve Board has been trying to curtail the rediscount activities of member banks, but without apparent avail. With enactment of the Phelan Bill by Congress, new powers are conferred upon the Board for the purpose of enabling it to more successfully combat exessive rediscounts by member banks. This measure gives the Board authority to charge higher discount rates to banks seeking rediscount accomodation in excess of a quota which the Board is given power to fix. The Reserve Bank of each district is given power to establish on some uniform basis the rediscount quota to be allowed each bank under its jurisdiction. Some percentage of each bank's capital and surplus will probably be used as the basis upon which the normal discount rate will be granted. Rediscounts in excess of this quota can be made only at increasingly higher rates. While the basis for determining a bank's quota may vary in the different districts it will be uniform within each district. Whether this law will solve the problems that confronted the Federal Reserve Board remains to be seen.

If your digestion is bad, your bowels constipated and you don't eat or sleep well, you need Prickly Ash Bitters, the remedy that men use for cleansing the system. It purifies and invigorates the vital and cheerful spirits. Price $1.25 per bottle.

Immediate Attention

should be given to sprains, swellings, bruises, rheumatism and neuralgia. Keep Mansfield's Magic Arnica Liniment handy on the shelf. Three sizes—25c, 50c and $1.00.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

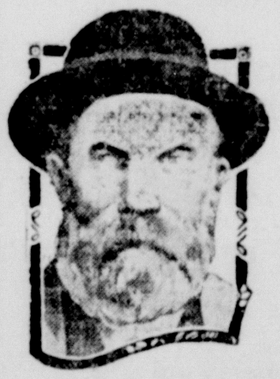
YOUR FAVORITE MAGAZINE

Now, if you are young and a boy, you like to read "POPULAR MECHANICS," "AMERICAN BOY," "ELECTRICAL EXPERIMENTER;" or, if you are a girl: "PHOTO-PLAY," "COSMOPOLITAN," "PICTURE PLAY" "LIFE;" but maybe you are a man, then it's "SATURDAY EVENING POST," "NEW SUCCESS," "AMERICAN," "HILL'S GOLDEN RULE;" or a woman: "PICTORIAL REVIEW," "VOGUE," "GOOD HOUSEKEEPING," "DELINEATOR," "THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL." But if you read other magazines we have them, too.

BUD BISHOP
Confectionery

Shop at GILLIAM'S that's all

"RESULTS MORE THAN CLAIMED"
So testifies Mr. J. F. ARENDT, Box 44, Romig, Texas
PE-RU-NA
THE REMEDY FOR EVERYDAY ILLS



"I have used Pe-ru-na for years in cases of colds and catarrh. The results have been good, in fact, more than you claimed. Have also taken Lacupia and can easily say it is one of the best blood purifiers I have ever used."
Mr. J. F. Arendt

For Catarrh and Catarrhal Conditions
The evidence of one man like Mr. Arendt is more convincing proof to you of the merits of Pe-ru-na than any written words of ours. For fifty years Pe-ru-na has been the standby of the American family for diseases due to catarrhal inflammation of the mucous membranes lining the organs of the body. Thousands, like Mr. Arendt, have proved the effectiveness of Pe-ru-na for coughs, colds, nasal catarrh, stomach, bowel and liver disorders or any disease characterized by a catarrhal condition.
If your suffering is the result of a catarrhal disorder try Pe-ru-na. It is a true, tried medicine.
Sold Everywhere — Tablets or Liquid
Ninety-Seven per cent. of the people have catarrh in some form.

NEW PERFECTION
Oil Cook Stoves

Here's The Reason
THE Long Blue Chimney burner makes a New Perfection Stove the best helper for a good cook.
It drives clean, intense cooking heat against the utensil. The high white-tipped, the blue medium or the "simmering" flame gives the right heat for every cooking need.
Ready instantly—turns every drop of Magnolia Safety Oil into clean heat—no smoke, soot or disagreeable odor.
Sold by good dealers everywhere. Ask for a demonstration of the Long Blue Chimney burner or write for free New Perfection booklet.
THE CLEVELAND METAL PRODUCTS CO.
7600 Platt Avenue — Cleveland, Ohio
Dealers Note:—The Magnolia Petroleum Company distributes the New Perfection in your territory. Complete stocks are available at convenient points.

YES, IT IS YOUR MONEY

But What Does It Mean To You?

Is your money something to "blow in," or something to spend with judgment? Is it something for which you want to get full value and make go as far as possible? Do you feel that your dollars have a duty to perform and that you want them to perform that duty to the fullest extent? It is now the time when you will be buying Spring Clothing and other Spring Goods. Will you buy wisely---will you get style, quality and fit; and will you make your money go farther by selecting the wanted articles where the real values, quality and style are guaranteed and where large, but judicious and timely purchases against an advancing market have made it possible to give you prices lower than the general run of prices.

These Prices Are of Especial Interest to Every Woman in Comanche County

36 inch Percale, not "a good" quality, but the very best quality, 35 cents a yard.

Largest stock of Ginghams in town, 30 cents and up. 200 patterns to select from at 35 cents a yard.

Domestic, full line, 25 cents and up.

All colors of the rainbow in Voiles and Organdies at 35 cents and up.

Finest quality of Taffetas at $3.00 a yard.

Large assortment of Foulards at $3.50 a yard.

While we have quoted only a few prices in these goods, it will be seen that they cover many large assortments, and that they are an indication of the money-saving prices prevailing throughout our unusually large and complete stock of drygoods.

"YOUR MONEY BACK AND A NEW PAIR OF SHOES FREE"

To the Wearer Who Finds PAPER in the Heels, Soles or Counters of a pair of

PETERS DIAMOND BRAND SHOES

SHOES WITH THE DIAMOND TRADE MARK ON THEIR SOLES

SOLD AND WARRANTED BY

THERE IS A "DIAMOND BRAND" SHOE FOR EVERY PURPOSE; A PRICE FOR EVERY PURSE.

This Store. Come and Investigate.

Men's Work Clothes

We have a good full line-- in fact, the best line that you are going to find, no matter how much you hunt the markets over--- of Union alls,

Over alls, Kiddie-alls and other work clothes

Unionalls	$5.00
Overalls	2.50
Jumpers	2.50
Kiddie alls	1.75
Work Shirts---40 Dozen of them at	1.25
Also Work Shirts at	1.50

We are exclusive agents for Cadet Hose in Comanche--- guaranteed to give satisfactory service.

Children's Hose, 35 cents and up

Shoes for Men Women and Children. See our large stock before making your selections.

REMEMBER

CLEAN-UP WEEK APRIL26 TO MAY 1

There is really so much to say about our magnificent stock of goods at present, and the prices at which we are selling them, that we are loath to take either the time or space to talk about anything else--but we want to pause here just long enough to say that next week has been designated as Clean-up week in Comanche; and that we are strong for it. We expect to join right in with our friends and neighbors and fellow citizens in making this one of the cleanest, healthiest and most attractive towns in Texas.

Men, This Is For You

We are not going down the line in a systematic way to assemble and enumerate all the articles and prices of interest to you, but only desire to say that we still maintain our leadership as the house that appeals to the men who really care about their wearing apparel, and to point out just a few things by way of illustration.

We are still selling the Eagle dress shirts-- we say it with pride and satisfaction. Guaranteed fast colors and satisfactory; the bes t

A full stock of Stetson hats--- not just one or two---and the prices are right.

Men's Union Suits $1.00 and up.

Old Hickory Shirting 30 cents Hamilton's Old Hickory Shirting 35 cents Whether it is the everyday work clothes or something for the dress-up occasions, we are ready to serve the men most satisfactorily in everything that they wear.

The man who has been here knows what he is talking about

Style-Plus Clothes

The Clothes of Unquestioned Quality.

A Good Big Stock to Select From

Summer weight clothes for both younger and older men. Mohairs and other light weights. Snappy, Correctly Tailored; Clothes of Quality and Distinction.

$ The Cash Store $

Where a dollar does its duty

On Saturday, April 24th, 1920

OUR ANNUAL SPRING SALE

Special offerings in all departments beginning Saturday, 24

ALL SHORT LOTS AND DISCONTINUED NUMBERS ARE QUOTED AT UNUSUAL PRICE CONCESSION. AVAIL YOUR SELF OF THE OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE DESIRABLE AND SEASONABLE MERCHANDISE

Come To Burks Mercantile Company if You Can—Do Not Fail To Take Advantage of This Clearance Sale

WE WILL REDUCE THE H. C. L. FOR A FEW DAYS

Men and Boys Hats

200 out of date novelty hats. Price from$3.50 to $5.00 for.....$2.50
Bargain in boys summer light weight suits; these suits were carried over from last season. Good models and Fabrics some of these suits have two pair of trousers. Price per suit $4.50 to $7.50

Men's Clothing

10 per cent Discount on all 3 piece suits.
We have a guaranteed line of clothing.

Overals and Jumpers

Best grade of Blue Denim $2.50
wholesale price today on any standard make from $2.50 to $3.00

Khaki Trousers

Best grade $3.50 for $3.00
Riding trousers $3.50 for $3.00
Riding trousers $4.00 ..... $3.50

Blue Work Shirts

Something good $1.50
Extra size shirts $1.75

Men's Low Quarter Shoes

Broken lots in Gun Metal, Patent Leather, and Tan Calf from 2.50 to$3.50
Above shoes all good values.

Men's Elastic Seam Drawers

per pair 75c
For one week only.

Hats *Hats*

PRICES CUT

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LADIES

Hats *Hats*

EMBROIDERIES AND INSERTIONS AT LESS THAN WHOLESALE PRICE TODAY FOR ONE WEEK ONLY

Don't Fail To See Our Line of Queen Quality Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps For The Ladies.

One Week Only

Ladies' Suits

Our entire stock consisting of Serges, Tricotins, Broad cloth, Flannels and Velours all new Spring styles go in this sale for one week only at 1-4 off

Don't miss the opportunity of saving from $10.00 to $35.00 per suit.

Ladies' Dresses

All new spring styles, not an old dress to offer

You can find these in Silks, Messalines, Georgette, Combination and many other cloths and styles.

Priced from $25.00 to$75.00

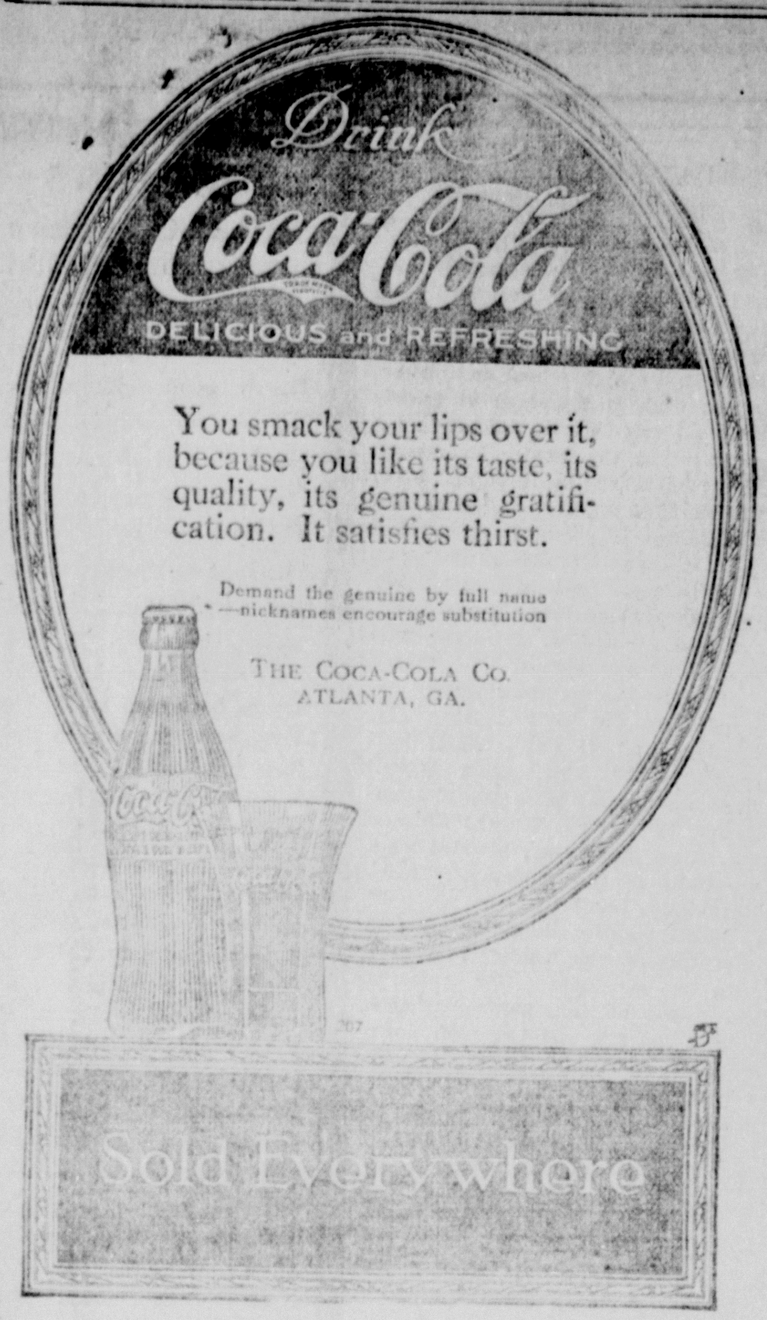
1-4 OFF THE ENTIRE LOT

Ladies' Coats

New spring coats in all the latest styles, colors and materials, priced from $25.00 to $45.00 1-4 off

A nice line of printed voile dresses to arrive this week will be put on sale at special price.

Burks Mercantile Company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Coca-Cola
DELICIOUS and REFRESHING
You smack your lips over it, because you like its taste, its quality, its genuine gratification. It satisfies thirst.
Demand the genuine by full name —nicknames encourage substitution
THE COCA-COLA CO.
ATLANTA, GA.
Sold Everywhere

INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT OF NORTH AMERICA

In 2000 Counties This Month

The Forces of the Church of Christ Will Gather To Face the Facts

IN 2000 counties in the United States the pastors and laymen of 30 great denominations will meet in conference this month.

It is the kind of conference that generals hold before a critical engagement; that business men hold before entering a new market. A conference of judgment, not emotion; a clear-eyed facing of the facts.

A Survey that Business Men Must Admire

For more than a year hundreds of workers have been quietly engaged in making a scientific survey of the mission fields, and of America *county by county.*

The facts developed are startling. No such picture of America's religious situation has ever before been drawn.

On the basis of these surveys thirty Protestant denominations are uniting in a

Nation Wide Cooperative Campaign

Each of the thirty denominations has its own "Forward Movement" organized and officered. The Interchurch World Movement is the clearing house for all of these.

It is the agency which the churches have created to avoid duplication, to foster cooperation and make sure that every man and dollar render the utmost service possible.

The month of April will be devoted to making the facts of the survey known to America; in the week of April 25th - May 2nd, will come a united simultaneous financial campaign.

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To every man and every woman who loves his country, these 2000 county conferences are vitally important.

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"IT'S JUST GRAND" SAYS MRS. ROGERS

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"No one could see the wonderful change in me and doubt that Tanlac is just a grand medicine," said Mrs. Louise Rogers, of 4017 Brooklyn Ave. Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. Rogers formerly lived at Wenatchee Wash., where she is also well known.

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Tanlac is sold in Comanche by The Hamilton Drug Company.

Macksville

(Regular Correspondence.)

(Left over from Last Week)

April 14—Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Barnett attended the grave yard working Saturday and spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Estes.

Sunday School was organized here Sunday with 72 enrolled. Everybody come out next Sunday and bring some one with you.

W. J. and H. A. Wyche were Stephenville visitors the first of the week.

Nolan Estes of Dallas spent the week end with home folks.

Several from neighboring communities attended singing here Sunday.

Miss Nell Hartson of Hazel Dell spent Friday night with Miss Addie Sample. Miss Addie accompanied her home Wednesday.

The young people enjoyed a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Couch Friday night.

Mrs. W. D. Peterson returned home last week from McCauley where she had been visiting her sister.

If you have no appetite for your meals, something is wrong in your digestive organs. Take a dose or two of Prickly Ash Bitters, the medicine for men. It cleanses the stomach, liver and bowels, creates appetite, vigor and cheerfulness. Price $1.25 per bottle. Hamilton Drug Co. and Wm. Reese Drug Co. peecial agents.

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Regulate the bowels when they fail to move properly. HERBINE is an admirable bowel regulator. It helps the liver and stomach and restores a fine feeling of strength and buoyancy. Sold by Paris Smith.

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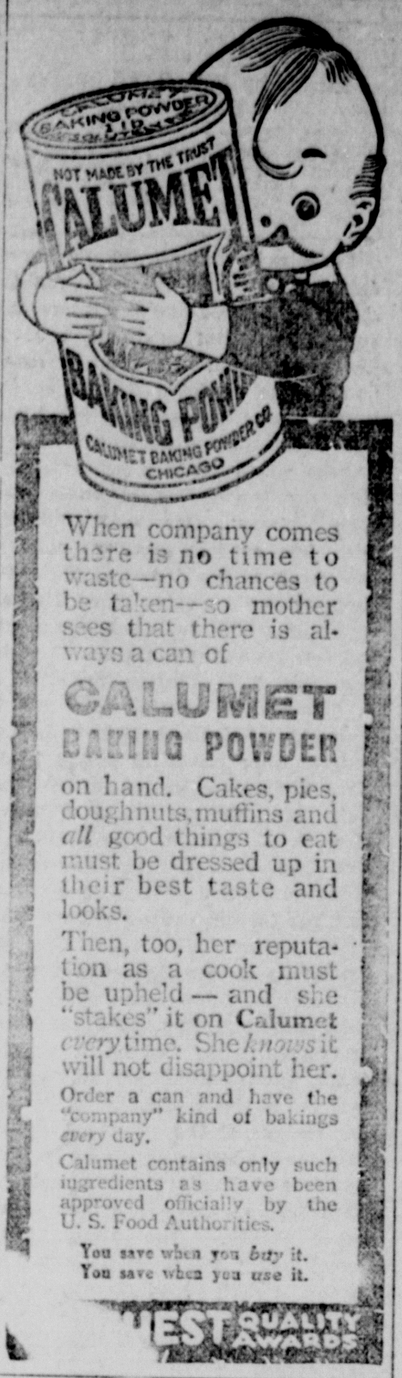

When company comes there is no time to waste—no chances to be taken—so mother sees that there is always a can of

CALUMET BAKING POWDER

on hand. Cakes, pies, doughnuts, muffins and *all* good things to eat must be dressed up in their best taste and looks.

Then, too, her reputation as a cook must be upheld — and she "stakes" it on Calumet *every* time. She *knows* it will not disappoint her.

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Why Suffer?

Mrs. J. A. Cox, of Alderson, W. Va., writes: "My daughter . . . suffered terribly. She could not turn in bed . . . the doctors gave her up, and we brought her home to die. She had suffered so much at . . . time. Having heard of Cardui, we got it for her."

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"In a few days, she began to improve," Mrs. Cox continues, "and had no trouble at . . . Cardui cured her, and we sing its praises everywhere." We receive many thousands of similar letters every year, telling of the good Cardui has done for women who suffer from complaints so common to their sex. It should do you good, too. Try Cardui. E-77

Cotton Grove

(Regular Correspondence.)

(Left over from Last Week)

April 14—Miss Estelle Cannon left Monday for Killeen, Texas, to attend the funeral of her nephew.

Mr. Julian Johnson and Odessa Johnson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson of Comanche, spent from Thursday until Saturday in Rule and O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gressett gave an enjoyable party last Saturday night.

Miss Otha Criswell spent Sunday with Miss Vera Couch.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stubblefield of Comanche attended the party here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Glasgow entertained with a party Saturday night.

Several from Sweetwater, Duncan, and Elm Grove attended the parties here last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnet, of May, spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. L. L. Ritchie.

Hazel Dell

(Regular Correspondence.)

(Left over from last week)

April 13—Quite a large number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smith enjoyed a party at their home last Thursday evening.

Mr. Dad Salyer and family spent Sunday with his parents near Edna.

Several from this community attended singing at Macksville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Van Winkle of near Gustine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Miller.

Messrs Frances Lee and L. D. Smith spent the week end in Comanche.

Mr. Jno. Williamson has his parents from near Dublin, with him. His father is under medical treatment for heart trouble.

Fishermen from this and other communities were busy on the Leon last week. Some of them made good hauls while others were not so lucky.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Reed were in Gustine Saturday. Mrs. Reed going for examination by physicians.

A TEXAS WONDER

THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1. One small bottle is two months treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

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You are more ambitious and you get more enjoyment out of everything when your blood is in good condition. Impurities in the blood have a very depressing effect on the system, causing weakness, laziness, nervousness and sickness.

GROVE'S TASTELESS Chill TONIC restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

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Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

Mother! You must say "California."

Nature's Remedy
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Girls! Have a mass of long, thick, gleamy hair

Let "Danderine save your hair and double its beauty. You can have lots of long, thick, strong, lustrous hair. Don't let it stay lifeless, thin, scraggly or fading. Bring back its color, vigor and vitality.

Get a 35cent bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter to freshen your scalp; check dandruff and falling hair. Your hair needs this stimulating tonic, then its life, color, brightness and abundance will return.—Hurry!

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CITY ORDINANCE

An ordinance entitled an ordinance to protect the sidewalks of the city of Comanche and fix a penalty for its violation.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Comanche:

Art. 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to drive or push or pull any wheel barrow, push cart or vehicle of any description, or to ride or drive any animal, on or along any sidewalks of the city.

Art. 2 Any person or persons who shall violate art. 1 of this ordinance, shall on conviction, be punished by a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Art. 3. This ordinance shall be in force from passage and publication.

J. R. Eanes, Mayor
Attest, C. M. Moore, City Secy.
34-35

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Instantly relieves Heartburn, Bloated Gassy Feeling. Stops food souring, repeating, and all stomach misery. Aids digestion and appetite. Keeps stomach sweet and strong. Increases Vitality and Pep.

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Houston, Texas:—"After the advent of one of my babies, my health became very poor. I was nervous and so weak I could not do anything, could not eat or sleep and was nothing short of a physical wreck when a friend advised me to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I took several bottles but it was well worth it for it completely restored me to good health. My advice to women who suffer is to give 'Favorite Prescription' a trial, it will surely help them."—MRS. E. L. BROWN, 2414 Freeman St.

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...ness is taking note of your efforts. We thank everybody for the splendid interest and cooperation shown.

THE CLEAN UP COMMITTEE

PERSONALS

Frank McMillian of Sipe Springs visited relatives here this week.

Ed Lee of Aspermont arrived the latter part of last week to spend a week or ten days with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. R. Thomas is visiting R. B. Strayhorn and family at Mrs. G. W. Hogan's.

T. R. Homsley left Tuesday for a visit of a couple of weeks at his ranch at Rosedale, N. M.

Merton Harris of De Leon was in the city on legal business Tuesday.

Guy Allen of Howard Payne was in Comanche Wednesday.

Miss Guida B. Kittle and Miss Neta Huddleston visited friends in Brownwood during the week-end.

Miss Beatrice Bartley of Waco is visiting Mrs. Wilburne Dunlap and other friends.

Mrs T. O. Moore and Miss Clara Moore returned Saturday from Waco, where they have been the guests of relatives.

Lost-Strayed or Stolen

from my place 7 miles south of Comanche, one black mare mule two years old; wire cut scar on right fore leg. Reward for any information leading to recovery.

Mrs. J. Q. Johnson
35c Comanche, Texas, Route 5

Baptist Notice

Rev. A. F. Crittendon of Ft. Worth being unable to conduct the services at the First Baptist Church here arrangements have been made by which a pastor from the Seminary will fill the pulpit, at both hours, Sunday April 25th.

Wilson Administration Meeting

Dr. S. P. Brooks, of Waco, president of Baylor University, will speak at De Leon Tuesday afternoon at half past two o'clock; and at Comanche Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Dr. Brooks is one of the biggest men of the United States, and in whom all have confidence and is a strong speaker. Let us give him a packed house of men and women.

Y. W. Holmes,
Adv. County Chairman

Presbyterian Auxiliary Meets

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met at the church with ten members present. It was decided to go to Brownwood in cars to the Presbyterial in May. April20th will be the program on Negro; Leader, Mrs. Black in place of Mrs. W. W. Kilpatrick.

Reporter.

Mme. Schuman-Heink, the world's greatest contralto, at Brownwood, Thursday, May 13. Reservations should be made early in order to assure your getting good seats. Tickets $2.00 and $3.00. For reservations write Cameron Marshall, Howard Payne College, Brownwood.

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Tires For Smaller Cars

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SOCIETY

Edited by Mrs. R. W. Scurry
Phone 496

Notes of social events, club affairs and activities of church societies and lodges telephoned to the above number will be appreciated. Personal items are also desired.

Perhaps it was the lovely spring day, but more probably it was the charming hostess and the interesting honorguests that made Mrs. J. B. Chilton's reception Monday afternoon so delightful a feature of the week's social happenings. The house was artistically decorated with cut flowers which made a beautiful setting for the ladies in their new spring gowns. Mrs. T. J. Williams with her cordial manner received the guests at the door and presented them to the reeciving line, the personel of which included Mrs. Chilton, her beautiful young daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. B. Chilton, Jr., Mrs. S. J. Thomas of Austin, Mrs. W. L. Holmsley of Midland, Mrs. T. J. Harrell, another beautiful young bride, Mrs. Thompson Bruton of Havana, Cuba, Mrs. George Orand of Waco, Mrs. G. A. Bruton, Miss Ballou of Hamilton, Mrs. Walter Conway and Mrs. Penn Oden of Shreveport, La., and Mis Lucille Bruton of New York City. In the dining room Mrs. McCracken and Mrs. Stearues presided over the tea tables and assisted Mrs. Eugene Neely, Mrs. C. P. St. Clair and Mrs. G. A. Chilton in serving salad, sandwiches, ripe olives and iced tea to the guests. A very pleasant featrue of the afternoon's pleasure was the music by Misses Imogene Smith and Enola Garnett and Mr. Tom Moore. All are artists of unusual ability. The young ladies have rarely sweet voices and Mr. Moore, either as an accompanist or a soloist, is a musician not to be excelled. About one hundred ladies left cards.

Misses Myrtle Paine and Amelia Scott staged one of the most successful children's plays ever given here, at the high school auditorium Thursday evening, April 15. Both of these young ladies are artists in handling and training children and this operetta "The Quest of the Pink Parasol" added other laurels for them. The stage was beautifully arranged and decorated forming an effective and artistic background for the airy costumes and graceful poses. The voices in both solos and choruses were well trained. In fact, the entire entertainment reflected much credit on both the performers and their teachers. An unusually full house greeted them, too. The money received is to be used for the benefit of the Primary school. Nobody but school teachers would work so hard gratuitously.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bruton are this week welcoming their children and grandchildren home for a family re-union. It will be recalled that Mr. and Mrs. Bruton celebrated their golden wedding with a similar home coming more than three years ago. Since that time there have been two additions to the family by marriage, and three births—no deaths. The family now includes twenty members, the three sons are in business as follows: Karl is an automobile salesman at Paris, Texas; John Thompson in Insurance business in Havana, Cuba; and David in the oil business at Wichita Falls. The three daughters are Mrs. W. L. Holmsley of Midland, Mrs. J. W. Orand of Waco and Miss Lucille, who has been engaged in literary work in New York City. The Brutons hope to make this reunion an annual affair hereafter.

Miss Clarita Hutchinson entertained with an informal picnic at Club Lake Saturday afternoon. The "out of doors" and "eats" are all that is necessary to compose a good time for little folks. The guests included Katherine and Judith Clarke, Elizabeth Eanes, Coralee Kittle, Elizabeth Scurry, Mattie Ball, Carbuna Butler, Marie Marrs, Ruth Harris, Mark and Fred Moore, J. C. MacPherson; Elizabeth Mayes.

Miss Bee Bartley of Waco is visiting Mrs. Welborn Dunlap.

Miss Gruda B. Kittle and Nita Huddleston spent the week end in Brownwood.

Miss Martin was here this week representing the Delineator.

Mrs. W. L. Signor returned to Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. C. P. St. Clair Entertains.

Honoring her out of town house guests Mrs. C. P. St. Clair was hostess for a reception on Saturday afternoon which included an unusually long list of guests.

Mrs. William Reese, in her usual graceful and stately manner, received at the door, presenting the receiving line, composed of Mrs. W. F. Conway of Shreveport, La., Mrs. S. J. Thomas of Austin, Mrs. Penn Oden of Shreveport, Mrs. Signor of Abilene, Mesdames, J. B. Chilton, Jr., Evan Palmer, T. J. Harrell and Eugene Neely of Comanche.

The personnel of the receiving line was interesting, ranging to include two vivacios young brides, Mesdames Chilton and Harrell, and a sweet-faced grandmother, Mrs. Signor.

Her host of friends were delighted to greet Mrs. S. J. Thomas, who with her lamented husband, S. J. Thomas, former editor of the Comanche Chief was a resident of Comanche for several years, both being social favorites. Mrs. Conway and Mrs. Oden, who were Misses Gene St. Clair and Alma Reese, we count always as our own, though they reside in another state. The remaining four young matrons have been charming additions to Comanche's social life within recent years.

In the dining room and music room, Mesdames D. C. Clarke, T. J. Williams, J. B. Chilton, Sr., G. A. Chilton, R. B. Strayhorn and George Montgomery composed the house party. Misses Janet Reese and Ida May Switzer assisted the hostess in serving strawberry brick cream and angel food.

The decorations were unusually effective, being a scheme of bluebonnets, the Texas state flower, and ferns. These were massed in reed baskets of every size and form, hanging baskets, reed encased vases and bowls. The dining table was a mound of blossoms held in a huge reed basket, which together with the other containing of similar weave is the handiwork of the hostess. Cobwebby tulle bows floated from the basket handles, the beautiful soft tints under the lights and the perfume of the profusion of flowers giving a delightful touch of spring to the whole interior.

Other out of town guests were Misses J. T. Bruton of Havana, Cuba; Mrs. W. L. Holmsley, of Midland; Mrs. J. W. Orand, of Waco; Miss Syle Simpson, of Santa Anna, and Miss Alice Ballou, of Hamilton.

(Contributed)

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

By C. H. S. Students

Baylor Glee Club Visits Comanche.

The Baylor Glee Club gave an excellent entertainment last Saturday night, which gave the Juniors another neat sum to add to their bank account. They intend to have the piano cleaned and tuned up. They are showing a very unselfish spirit by putting their money in a common cause.

This is the second high class entertainment which has been brought to Comanche by the Senior and Junior Classes. The Glee Club was entertained by a dance at the K. of P. Hall after the concert.

Cram! Kram!

Cram till you bust! Or, rather, cram to keep from busting Thursday and Friday on those exams.

The Basket Ball Boys are very proud of a banner in chapel which declares them West Texas champions. This banner was officially presented in chapel Thursday morning.

The Comanche High School Debaters Club, composed of Bill Scurry and Carrel McMillan was defeated by Lampasas at Brownwood Saturday. Bernice Henslar was also defeated in the declamatory contest.

C. H. S. students will have their last regular Bi-monthly examinations Thursday and Friday.

The Seniors are practising steadily on the class play and are expecting to put on one that will please the public.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS

By Miss Enola Garnett.

Baylor University Glee Club.

Comanche was given another musical treat Saturday evening when the Baylor Glee Club rendered a most delightful and impressive program in the high school auditorium.

The Club is composed of twenty men, all members of the music department of the Baylor University. The men were in evening dress which added dignity as well as uniformity to the performance.

W. D. Long the "official black faced announcer" was missing but the two other comedians, Messrs. Wilson and Livingston, did their part in true nigger fashion.

Possibly the numbers most enjoyed were the "Winter Song" by Poullard and "I Can't Wait Until the Preacher Makes You Mine." The voices of the male quartet, consisting of Messrs. Wilson, Livingston, Koon and Fenly, blended well, especially in the selection "There, Little Girl, Don't Cry."

Special mention should be given to Miss Rogers, the soloist, who gave only two selections. Her voice, a little weak at first, gained strength toward the end and her high notes were full and round, leaving us with a wish for more.

The encores which were nearly all popular songs were sung with lots of "pep." The program rendered by the Glee Club was as follows:

1. Hunting Song from Robin Hood.—DeKoven.
2. Tenor Solo: Mr. Young.
3. Sleep Weary World.—Karl.
4. Male Quartet.
5. "Here Comes the Bride."
6. Piano Solo.—Mr. Skinner.
7. Winter Song.—Poullard.
8. Pianologue.—Mr. Fenley.
9. Soprano Solo.—Miss Rogers.
10. Sweetest Story Ever Told.
11. A Black Due.—Messrs. Wilson and Livingston.
12. I'se Gwine Back to Dixie.

Much credit should be given to the Seniors and Juniors of the High School, by the residents of Comanche, as the agents through whom we have been able to hear two such splendid concerts as those given by the Howard Payne Glee Club and the Baylor University Glee Club.

Mme. Schuman-Heink, the world's greatest contralto, at Brownwood, Thursday, May 13. Reservations should be made early in order to assure your getting good seats. Tickets $2.00 and $3.00. For reservations write Cameron Marshall, Howard Payne College, Brownwood.

Rucker.

(Regular Correspondence)

April 20.—Farmers are busy planting cotton and peanuts. Most of the farmers are pretty well up with their work.

A nice warm April shower would be nice and is needed a little.

Mr. L. R. Grisham and family and Mrs. Ida, Miss Mandie and Bessie Pitman, also Mr. E. M. Allsup and Master Linn Grisham, visited Mr. L. L. Duke Sunday.

Master Marsell Higginbotham, who has been very low with pneumonia is improving a little.

Mr. Bill Short has a good horse that has blind staggers.

Mrs. Bink Leach and daughter of De Leon visited Uncle Ben Leach Saturday and Sunday.

FOR SALE—Kitchen Cabinet; good as new.

Mrs Wm. Dingus

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WEST SIDE SQUARE

Can Tomatoes	10c
Can Corn	15c
Dandy good salmon	20c
Big can pumpkin	15c
No. 3 Can kraut	15c
Lux washing powder	15c
The best matches, box	05c
The best soda, pkg.	09c
Bon Ami, pkg.	10c
Fine cakes, doz.	15c
Fine bottle Cherries	45c
2 cans best corn made	35c
Very best crackers, lb	20c
Best Lye, can	12 1-2c
3 cans best milk for	25c
Big bottle Ketchup	35c
Puffed wheat	15c
Gallon Crisco	$2.20
Gallon Magnolia	$2.20
Gallon Pindapan	$2.20
Peachy plug tobacco lb	.89
Tinsley tobacco, lb.	$1.00
Penn's tobacco, lb.	$1.00
Dandy good coffee, lb.	40c
Fine vinegar, bottle	20c
Dandy good laundyy soap will go at per bar	05c
Enamel paints	25c
Paints, several colors	25c
Blown tumblers set	65c
Nail files 15c to	25c
Peroxide	15c
Ladies & Misses middies	$2.50
Children's dresses	$3.50 to 3.95
Garden seed 5c, 10c, to	15c
Best toilet soaps	10c
Ladies hose, pair	25c
Men's nice sox, pr.	35c
Hat flowers 10c to	35c
Shoe soles, pr.	35c
25c Talcum for	15c
Household ammonia	25c
	$1.00
Straw-Brite for dyeing hats for	25c

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NOTICE IN PROBATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Comanche County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Comanche County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all persons interested in the estate of D. N. Burleson, Deceased. Mrs. Pearl J. Burleson has filed an application in the County Court of Comanche County, on the 19th day of April, 1920, for Appointment as Administratrix of the estate of said D. N. Burleson, deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 5th day of July, 1920, at the Court House of said County, in Comanche, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at Comanche, Texas, this 20th day of April, 1920. J. F. GARRETT, Clerk County Court, Comanche County, Texas. 35-3c

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